

## Why CAP?

CORPORATE LEARNING COURSE  
“CORPORATE CITIZENSHIP” BLOCK  
SEMINAR 2.1

## SEMINAR OVERVIEW

### SCOPE

*CAP is one of the few organizations that have real and constant missions to be performed by its volunteer force; missions that benefit the members neighbors, communities, states, and nation. This seminar provides students with a basic introduction to the missions of CAP. Students will be able to describe the activities of CAP at the nations leve l and explain how individual members’ professional development is enhanced by CAP membership both at the local and national level. This seminar is designed to be an open, yet guided discussion. Finally, the seminar concludes with a discussion about how to best present the special opportunities of CAP to prospective members.*

### COURSE OBJECTIVE

*To develop an effective contributor in a team environment.*

### LESSON OBJECTIVES

- 1. Explain the overall mission of CAP.*
- 2. Describe the activities CAP performs up to the national level.*
- 3. Explain the professional development available to a CAP member outside their wing’s capability.*
- 4. Explain some of the intangible benefits of CAP professional development*
- 5. Provide information on “why CAP” to prospective members*

### DURATION

*30 Minutes*

## OUTLINE & MAIN POINTS

### I. Introduction

Lesson Overview

What does CAP do that few other organizations do? \_\_\_\_\_

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### 2. People come to CAP for many reasons

Types of missions CAP is known for \_\_\_\_\_

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Training Opportunities \_\_\_\_\_

Interaction with communities, state and nation, and the USAF \_\_\_\_\_

3. Who joins CAP?

Requirements for volunteers \_\_\_\_\_

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Regulations and inspections provide standards \_\_\_\_\_

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4. Professional Development for members

CAPR 50-17

Progression Chart VA-176

5. Promote CAP and the many opportunities offered to prospective members

Resources:

1. CAPR 50-17
2. VA-176
3. CAP-101 Power Point briefing found on [www.capchannel.com](http://www.capchannel.com) under PAO toolkit